

Congregational Meeting TODAY to elect members to the Officer Nominating Committee.
TODAY(10:30am): New Member Class & Mission Comm. Mtg.

Charles McArthur
remains at Mercy General Hospital in Acute Rehabilitation
PREACHING WITH PASTOR Alison Monday mornings at 10:00am at Peet's Coffee, 1290 E. Bidwell, as we look together at the Sermon Scripture for the following Sunday. *Be there or be square!*

Sunday Potluck Brunch June 4, 2017
Presentation Topic: Mission Committee Update

PENTECOST SUNDAY JUNE 4th
(wear red, orange or yellow)



Our Prayer Room (B3) is open Wed, 7:30pm & Sun mornings 8:30am

BIBLE STUDIES

Monday: 7:00-8:30pm @ 1631 Creekside #101, Folsom
Contact: Koos Prins 916-505-1744 "Becoming Adult, Becoming Christian"
by James W. Fowler

Wednesdays: **10:00am at Church Office**
Contact Gloria Davis (310) 654-9359
"When Christians Get It Wrong" by Adam Hamilton
Newcomers welcome!

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"Passion"
by Chidi Okoye

Welcoming all people in the name of Christ
Expressing the love of God to the World
Trusting the Power of the Holy Spirit as
We serve the Kingdom of God

Worship 9:00am May 21, 2017
Rev. Alison Messick-Watkins

Today's Worship
"Welcome to Journey Church"
Sixth Sunday of Easter

"If you love me, you will keep my commandments."

***Call to Worship** Fred Jonas

Come to worship, people of God, with praises on your lips.

We glorify the One who holds our hands when we slip.

Come into the presence of the One who calls us into this sacred space.

Where the doors to grace are thrown open so all may enter.

Come and hear the stories of the One who loves you.

We will tell of the joy and of the love, of the peace and of the hope which is ours.

Rev. Tom Shuman

***Opening Prayer**

***Hymn "Love Divine, All Love's Excelling"** #21

***Unison Prayer of Confession**

Holy Lord, Creator of all that has life, You who are the center of our being, hear our confession: You love us with a love that is eternal, unchanging, and without condition. We dole out our love in bits and pieces, in fits and starts, and only when the other person meets our definition of lovable. Jesus teaches us that we are to love our neighbor, whomever our neighbor might be, just as we love ourselves. But how can we love others when at times we find it hard to love ourselves? Convict us of our own lovableness, each one, so that we in turn might reach out in love to our sisters and brothers, through Christ the risen Lord. Amen.

Moment for Silent Prayer

***Assurance of Pardon**

Friends, God loves us so much that God calls us God's children.

God holds us in the palm of God's hand.

God did not fashion and form us to condemn us.

In Jesus the Christ we are ALL forgiven! Thanks be to God!

***Gloria Patri** #142

***Passing of the Peace of Christ**

**Welcome and Opportunities
for Ministry and Service**

Rev. Alison Messick-Watkins

Children's Message

"Holy Spirit"

Francesca Battistelli

Scripture New Testament Reading: John 14:15-21

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Sermon "They'll Know We Are Christians By Our Love
(Not By Our Judgement)"

Rev. Alison Messick-Watkins

***Affirmation of Faith**

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible. And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of the Father before all worlds; God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God; begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made.

from The Nicene Creed

***Hymn "Come Holy Spirit, Heavenly Dove"** #144

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

Offering

***Doxology** #382

***Prayer of Dedication**

***Hymn "They'll Know We Are Christians by Our Love"** #677

***Charge and Benediction**

Postlude: "All of Me" *by The Piano Guys*

Sam Knight

***All who are able, please stand.**